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SPECIAL

TERMS NOW

day.

Mrs. Fisie Linton of Norwich has been visiting Mrs. Herman Paetel.

Herman Paetel, who has feen spending a week in New York on a business trip has returned.

following officers were elected: 'torshipful master. John L'happan; senior xarden. Jas. Orkney; senior warden John
Irving; freasures. Edward H. Newbury;
secretary. Charles C. Fodd emior deacon.
Charles Sawyer; senior steward. Nell
McPhall; junior steward. Charles Sweet;
chaplain, William A. Eraser; marshall,
John W. Chapman; tyler. George D.
Johnson; trustees. Frank W. Batte;
John Russell, John W. Chapman. These
officers are to be installed Saturday evening. January L.

Mrs. Charles H. Davis entertained the

ming, January I.

Mrs. Charles H. Davis entertained the Monday club-at a Christimas parity at her home on Starr street. Tuesday afternoon. The fayors were Christimas hells with surigs of bully. A literary guessing contest was an enjoy, able fosture and the prizes in this were won by Mrs. Charles D. Holmes and Mrs. G. Albert Thompson. Christimas legends and poems were christimas songs on the Victrola. Refereshments were served and the crowning feature of the event was a Jack Horner ple from which every member received a gift. Everything was in keeping with the spirit of Christimas and the Miss Harriet Main, of Norwich, is the guest of Mrs. Nathan Colves.

The Juniors of the Congregational Sunday school have their Christimas entered the many ways with which of the congregational Sunday school have their Christimas entered the don't even the low much I rumich up his closes. How muc

The Juniors of the Congregational Sunday school have their Christmay en-tertainment this (Thursday) evening at the parish house. Miss Cladys Dewey is home from New York for the holiday.

Elmer C. Hall is recovering from illess. Mrs. Helen Linton of Stonington was be guest of relatives here on Tues-

day.
Mrs. Ada L. Brewster of Rockland, Me. who has been visiting here, has gone to Norwich for a visit.

o Norwich for a visit,
Philip Harris of Bay City, Mjehiman,
s home for the holidays,
Captain C. P. Maxon was at his home
n West Myz'se this week. Miss Josephine Denison of Worcester home for Christmas vacation.

HAMPTON

John Skinner is a patient in St. Jo-seph's boxpital, Williemantic.
Chr. Brennan has moved to Wauregan.
John Fitts, who has been a pervising the road work at Westford, into moved the equipment to Hampton street and will begin work on Digelow Hill.
Etitabeth Congdon of Clark's Cornera has gone to live with Mrs. Irving Hop-kins.

Ray Fuller and family were in Worces-

There will be a Christmas tree at the church Friday evenily.

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POETRY

One is the love that shares and it of the four of the is from the world to the force above;
And one is surily one as just, and two are the joys that sever consequently are stored to the force of the f

And the test of God's love is a goden light;
And min select to man is crimson beight;
And man select to God in an arme tay.
And, when it flickets and dies away!
And the seen rest through the worshipping night.
Use the hole of all jewels, sault and play.

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Tet they shine as one, and the star is white.

Amos E. Wells, in Waterbury Ameri-

HUMOR OF THE DAY

"Well, he's used to boundless space."-Louisville Courier Journal. She-We'he had several fighters in our family on my mother's side.

He—Didn't any of them ever side with your pour father?—Detroit Free Press. "Something told me she's the girl for "Did something in black and white tell rout"

"What do you mean?" "The financial rating of her father, for, instance."-Birmingham Age-Healrd "Just think. They skin the poor otter for his for." "Well, the otter isn't the only one akimied." - Louisville Courie-rjournal

Mrs. Ayres Since we must economic I supose the first thing to give up is our Ayres I should say not! We'll have to do it in some way our neighbors can't see -- Boston Transcript.

"I bought a felt hat roday and charge, thin the firm," chortled the sick salesman "What as?" asked his interested companion. "Overhead expense."--American Le-

It is reported that a poultry farmer in the west of England is making a fortune by giving his hens whisky to drive and then exporting their caus in its Epited States.—Punch, London.

"Is your wife's mother enjoying her trip to the mountains."
"I am afraid not She's found something at less that she can't walk ever."— Boston Transcript. "Tramp at the door sir." announce d the

butler, "asking for something to eat."
"I'm new at this game. James. What
sort of a function is proper on such an
occasion?"—Louisville Courts-Journal.

THE KALEIDOSCOPE

A physician in Stockton, Cal., visite 14 of any other food crop in existence.

It has been estimated that steamers are

20 per cent, safer than salling vessel More than 25.00 per sons are employed in the salmon canning industry in the state of Washington. Experts have estimated that 20,000,00

tons of paper pulp can be produced each The most active volcano in the works is Mt. Sanguay. It is 17:196 feet bleb and is situated on the eastern chain of the Andes in South America. It has been in constant eruption since 1722.

Daniel R. Edwards o former members of the third markine gun battalion of the first division, after the loss of an eya, an arm and a leg in action, returned from an army hospital, re-entered Columbia University and won a degree. Edwade's home is in New York city.

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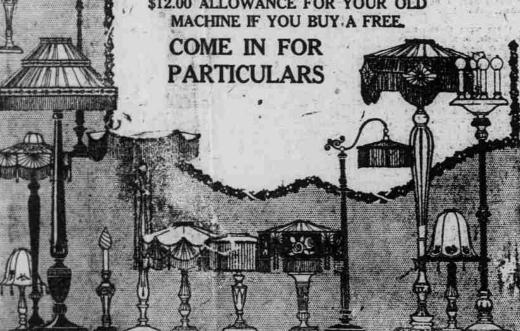
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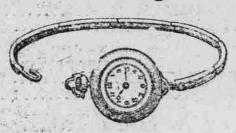
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